

Reminders

Grace Network - request for Oct.- Dec : **Juice or dry beans /feature items for Oct are toilet paper and deodorant**

Community Storehouse – **individual microwaveable meals** for children
Bible Study 📖:

Sunday morning after 10:15 Mass Meeting room is downstairs, first classroom to the left. Come to share.

Thursday evening 7:00. Every 3rd Thurs will be movie night

Eucharistic Adoration every Friday beginning after Mass until 6:00 pm. Come and spend some time with the Lord!

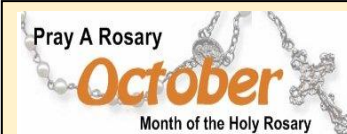
Food Lion gift cards are available every Sunday after Mass and in the church office during the week. The cards can be used when you do your regular shopping or given as gifts. They are as easy to use as a debit card- just swipe and go!

If you shop at **Kroger** – register your rewards card online at www.kroger.com/communityrewards and enter St. Joseph # 82116 and the number on your card. The church gets money back based on how much you spend. There is no cost to you for either program! Cards need to be renewed after a year. You should receive an email with instructions.

Parish Pastoral Council: Chair: Jim O'Brien, 734-9325; 1st Vice Chair: Bonnie Favero 647-8049; 2nd Vice Chair: John Bucciero 673-8414; Sec: Colleen Ghammashi (614) 915-9401. Maureen Aaron 806-7688; Timothy Downey 638-7856; Isabel Loreda 806-3780; Dennis Miller 252-9293

EVENTS/HANDOUTS/ FUNDRAISER POLICY

Any group or individual holding an event on St. Joseph property must fill out an appropriate form, and have it signed by Fr. Nicholas in advance. If you would like the event advertised in the oral announcements, a written copy must be submitted to the church office by Wed at 4 pm. Please plan your activities in advance so that we can properly plan for its success. Forms are available in the office or by email



By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to certain devotion. The month of October is dedicated to the holy Rosary, one of the best known of all Catholic devotions. The Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, celebrated on October 7th, commemorates the glorious and triumphant victory at the battle of Lepanto. That battle was the most convincing military victory that proved, without a doubt, the great power of the Rosary. The best way to celebrate the month is, of course, to pray the Rosary. The Rosary will bring great peace and holiness to your life. It is a powerful instrument for conversion. The Rosary is the best method of honoring Mary. It protects the Church from false teachings and keeps her safe from the attacks from the Enemy. Here at St. Joseph, the Pilgrim Virgin statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be present in the sanctuary all during the month of October to foster greater devotion to our Blessed Mother and the most holy Rosary. This would be a great time to start a daily Rosary devotion. For those who already have this beautiful habit, it would be the perfect time for you to share this devotion with others. Queen of the most holy Rosary, pray for us.

*Hail Mary, Full of Grace, The Lord is with Thee
Blessed are you among women
And blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God
Pray for us sinners,
Now and at the hour of our death. Amen*



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MARTINSVILLE, VA 24112

Website/Sitio Web: www.stjoechurch.net

Mass Schedule / Horarios de Misa

Sunday/Domingo 10:15 (English) 11:45 (Español)

Weekdays: 12:10 Thursday/Jueves & Friday/Viernes

Parish Mission Statement: To foster and deepen faith in the Holy Trinity through the celebration of the Eucharist and the Word of God & to be active disciples of our Savior, Jesus Christ, in our community and throughout the world / **Declaración de la misión parroquial:** Queremos fomentar y profundizar la fe en la Santísima Trinidad a través de la celebración de la Eucaristía y la Palabra de Dios y ser discípulos activos de nuestro Salvador, Jesucristo, en nuestra comunidad y en todo el mundo.

PARISH OFFICES: (CLUSTER) Oficinas Parroquiales:

St. Joseph, Martinsville

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office@stjoe24112.comcastbiz.net

Office Hours: Tues–Fri. 8:30am-4:00 pm

Hora de Oficina: Martes-Viernes. 8:30-4:00

(Fr. Nicholas here Thurs. & Fri.) (Padre Nicholas esta aqui Jueves & Viernes)

St. Francis of Assisi, Rocky Mount

15 Glennwood Dr (540) 483-9591

(Fr. Nicholas here Tues. & Wed.) (Padre Nicholas esta aqui Martes & Miercoles)

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Sacraments / Sacramentos:

Baptism: Call parish office to register for preparation classes. Expectant parents are encouraged to attend.

Bautismo: Llenar el formulario, después padres y padrinos asistir a dos pláticas de preparación. Ver a Eduardo Guerrero miercoles y Viernas de 6:30 a 8:30 pm en la oficina.

Reconciliation: Wednesday 5:30-7:00 PM or by appointment

Confesión: Miercolas de 5:30 a 7:00 pm o llamar a la oficina para hacer una cita.

Marriage: Call or email for an appointment with Fr. Nicholas at least 6 months prior to wedding.

Matrimonio: Llamar o mandar un correo electrónico al Padre Nicholas por lo menos 6 meses antes de las fecha de la boda, tambien pueden ver a Eduardo Guerrero

Ministry with the Elderly: Homebound parishioners who would like to receive communion at their home, contact the parish office. Ministerio con los ancianos: Feligreses que no pueden salir y quisieran recibir la comunión en sus casas, llamar a la oficina.

Religious Education: Children: Wednesday 5:30 – 6:45 PM Sept.- May; **Adults (RCIA)** Mondays 6:00 PM, classes to start Monday, September 12, 2016. Call Jim Reaghard 638-1427 to register.

Educación religiosa; Niños: Miercoles de 5:30 a 6:45 pm (de Septiembre a Mayo) **Adultos:** Ver a Eduardo Guerrero en el horario de oficina.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sep 25 SUN: 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Am 6: 1a. 4-7/ Ps 146: 7-10 / 1 Tm 6: 11-16/ Lk 16: 19-31

The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus

Rosary 9:45

MASS IN ENGLISH/ Misa en Ingles 10:15 – Fred Downey†

MASS IN SPANISH/ Misa en Español 11:45 – Guadalupe Moreno †

Bible Study/ Estudio de la Biblia 11:30

FALL FESTIVAL

Sep 26 Mon: Ordinary Weekday/ Cosmas and Damian

Jb 1: 6-22/ Ps 17: 1-3. 6-7/ Lk 9: 46-50

For the one who is least among all of you is the one who is the greatest

RCIA 6:00

Sep 27 Tue: Vincent de Paul

Jb 3: 1-3. 11-17. 20-23/ Ps 88: 2-8/ Lk 9: 51-56

Departure for Jerusalem; Samaritan Inhospitality.

Sep 28 Wed: Wenceslaus, Lawrence Ruiz

Jb 9: 1-12. 14-16/ Ps 88: 10-15/ Lk 9: 57-62

Would be followers of Jesus

Confessions 5:30-7:00

Sep 29 Thu: Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, archangels

Dn 7: 9-10. 13-14 or Rv 12: 7-12/ Ps 138: 1-5/ Jn 1: 47-51

You will see greater things than this.

Mass 12:10 – T. George †

Ensayo del Coro 7:00

Bible Study/ Estudio de la Biblia 7:00

Sep 30 Fri: Jerome

Jb 38: 1.12-21; 40:3-5/ Ps 139: 1-3. 7-10. 13-14/ Lk 10: 13-16

Reproaches to Unrepentant towns

Mass 12:10 – special Intention

Eucharistic Adoration/ Adoración Eucarística 1-6 pm

Oct 1 Sat: Thérèse of Lisieux

Jb 42:1-3.5-6.12-17/ Ps 119:66.71.75.91.125.130/ Lk 10: 17-24

Return of the Seventy-Two

Rosary/ Rosario 9:00

1st Sat. Mass 9:30

Oct 2 Sun: 27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Hb 1: 2-3, 2:2-4/ Ps 95: 1-2.6-9/ 2 Tm 1: 6-8.13-14/ Lk 17:5-10

If you had faith the size of a mustard seed you would say to this mulberry tree, “Be uprooted and planted in the sea.” And it would obey you.

Mass in English/ Misa en Ingles 10:15 Mayer Family †

Mass in Spanish/ Misa en Español: 11:45 Ginny Madonia †

Bible Study/ Estudio de la Biblia: 11: 30

Ministers for Oct. 2

EM – W: Lilian East *, Colleen Ghammashi, Betty Gillispie, Jim Grandinetti; B- Barbara Helmick

Lector –Nancy Edelen 1; Dick Ephgrave 2; Bonnie Favero Int.

Usher – Bob Humkey, Jimmy McGarry, Dennis Miller, Tony Rinaldi

Prayer requests/Peticion de Oraciones

List of prayer requests can be found in the book of prayer in the commons and on the homepage of our website: La lista de peticiones se encuentra en el libro que esta encima del mueble en la estancia y en nuestra pagina web:

<http://stjoechurch.net>

(To add or remove prayer requests, please call the church office. Para quitar o poner una peticion, por favor llamar a la oficina de la iglesia)

Add to the prayer list this week: John Bucciero

SICK, HOMEBOUND,HOSPITALIZED?/ ¿ENFERMO, CONFINADO EN CASA U HOSPITALIZADO? If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the Sacraments, please call the office. Outside of office hours, please call Barbara Kurtz (276) 647-1906 or Blaise Plageman (276) 632-1591/ Si usted o alguien que usted conoce quisiera recibir los Sacramentos, por favor llamar a la oficina de la Iglesia. Si llama fuera del horario de oficina por favor llama a Barbara Kurtz (276) 647-1906

If you would like a Mass offered for a loved one, please call the church office or fill out a Mass intention envelope and place it in the offertory basket. Make checks payable to Fr. Nicholas Mammi. Specific dates may not be available. Please include a contact number to arrange an alternate date if necessary./ Si usted quiere ofrecer una misa a un ser querido por favor lléne el sobre correspondiente para la intención y deposítelo en la canasta de la colecta. Haga el cheque a nombre del padre: Nicholas Mammi. Quizas algunas fechas no esten disponibles incluya su número de teléfono para ofrecerle opciones

Mark your calendar/ Marque su calendario

9/25- Fall festival

9/28- Religious Education begins

10/4 – portrait make-up day

10/9 – pancake breakfast

Collections/ Colectas:	8/14
Budget Amt./ Cantidad de presupuesto	\$3,846.15
Collection/ Colecta:	\$3,356.50
Deficit/ Perdida:	\$ 489.65

The second collection next weekend is for the reduction of the debt on our church building. The first collection is used to pay for the everyday operating expenses of the parish.

La primera colecta ayuda a pagar los gastos de la iglesia. Gracias por su donación.

PARISH DIRECTORY Portrait makeup day will be Tuesday, Oct. 4. / *Directorio de la Parróquia* que no se tomaron la foto, lo podran hacer el martes 4 de Octubre

If you did not place a portrait order, your complimentary 8 X 10 is available at the Church. Ordered prints, including your free portrait, were mailed to your address.

Anyone who has a pix that came from St. Joseph, please bring it by the office Wednesday, Thursday or Sunday.



FOR HEALING AFTER ABORTION, Rachel's Vineyard

Retreat, sponsored by Church of the Epiphany, will be held Sept 30th - Oct 2, 2016, at Shalom House Retreat Center in Montpelier, Virginia. This retreat is for women and men who have known regret, sorrow, guilt, or shame from abortion. If you would like to learn more about this retreat you can contact Marty Montgomery-Jennings at [804-704-0429](tel:804-704-0429), or Maggie Carlson at [804-432-2589](tel:804-432-2589) or email: RV4hope@gmail.com. Visit our website: www.rachelsvineyard.org Inquiries, registration and participation are strictly confidential.

Five First Saturday Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary- Our Lady of Fatima

Fr. Nicholas will begin a series of 1st Saturday of the month Masses to be celebrated at St. Joseph at 9:30 am on Oct. 1. There will be a Mass each month at the same time and place through February. (Nov. 5; Dec. 3; Jan. 7; Feb. 4). Masses will begin again on the 1st Sat. in May at St. Francis of Assisi and continue there on each 1st Sat. through Sept. The sacrament of Confirmation will be available before and after each Mass.

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Upcoming Events

RCIA – (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) – classes begin Sept. 12th for those interested in becoming Catholic or anyone wanting to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Good News Jail & Prison Ministry Annual Banquet Thursday Nov. 3 6:30. Tickets are \$10 See Colleen Ghammashi or Barbara Kurtz for tickets

Pancake Breakfast- Oct. 9 come downstairs for pancakes and fellowship. Pancakes will be served from 11 - 1:30.

Discovery Retreat for 9th & 10 Grade will be Feb. 24-26. This is a powerful, fun, spirit filled, peer led diocesan retreat. For registration information call Donna in the church office.

Retiro de Descubrimiento para los jovenes del 9 y 10 grado será del 24 al 26 de Ferero 2017. Este es un Retiro Diocesano poderoso, divertido y lleno de espíritu para información de



Audio Visual

Materials

Our newest DVD movie is a grand prize winner at the Cannes Film Festival. We have a copy of **Miracle of Marcelino** in our parish library. Come check it out!

One of the best little books on "St. Teresa of Calcutta" for \$4.00 only. Get one before all sold! New CDs out --- wonderful learning opportunities while driving. No more excuses to say "I didn't know!"

Year of Mercy Pilgrimage “Merton and Mercy”

Join Fr. Mark Oct. 22-23 for an all-inclusive tour to the Abbey of Gethsemane near Louisville, KY. Walk through the Doors of Mercy, receive a Holy Year Indulgence and eat a private bourbon dinner. Price: \$215 pp. For more information contact Caroline Stanfill at 440-344-9814 or cstanfill@standrewroanoke.org



St. Joseph is back in the Race!!

Volunteers are needed to help with a food booth at the Martinsville Speedway on Oct. 30th. Signup sheets are in the commons

Sn. José esta de regreso en la carrera!! Se necesitan voluntarios para el puesto de comida en la pista de Martinsville, el domingo 30 de Octubre. La lista para inscribirse esta en la estancia.

Religious Education Classes for ALL school aged children begins **Wed. Sept 28 at 5:45 pm**. Please register your child ASAP. Forms can be found at www.stjoechurch.net –faith formation or in the commons. *Ya comenzaron las inscriptions para la education religiosa. Se espera que todos los niños de cualquier grado escolar se inscriban cada año, aunque no vayan a recibir el sacramento. ¡Por favor insribanse a tiempo para tener el material listo! Por favor anexe una copia del certificado de bautismo si su hijo desea recibir la Primera Comunión ó la Confirmación.*

